









## FIRST ELECTRIC LOCOMOTIVE.

back and the arm outstretched. As the legs are closed the arm shoots forward and the ball is driven at a great pace.

**Greenwood and Woodlawn Cemeteries  
in New York Becoming Villages  
of Costly Marble Structures.**

tenance in architecture. It is built into the hillside and has a flat roof. The south distance back to the ground. A number of small, rectangular, concrete blocks are placed around the building, which are buried by a fence and area surrounded by a wall. Henry Steiny, a piano manufacturer, is probably the most experienced person in the area. He has a plain in architecture. It is said to be the most famous in the area. The piano is made by the Steiny family and is known as the Steiny piano.

toys are none of them knows that he is crazy. In fact, a lunatic generally considers himself the most sane person in the neighborhood. Hence, when he desires to protect himself, as, after committing some crime, one of the first things he often does is to feign insanity. It is only lately that

As stated, they are exceedingly robust. In the gold regions, camels are said to have entirely displaced cattle, while they have opened up to agriculture vast regions hitherto inaccessible. They are credited, also, with having greatly reduced the dangers of exploration in the interior, owing to their endurance to thirst. During the recent expedition of Lindsay, some camels passed, at one time twenty-three days, and at another time twenty days, without drinking a drop of water.

secretly, and others openly teaching doctrines and introducing a ritual of various degrees, mediaeval and erroneous, as the people will stand, symbolizing doctrine contrary to the Prayer Book and the Thirty-nine Articles.

boat, where its master gives it a small piece as a reward for its labor.

**Johnson Lodged in Jail.**

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

JONESBORO, Ark., March 22.—Sheriff Broadway to-day lodged in jail Jack Johnson, charged with the murder of John Gargus and wife on Buffalo Island, Sunday night. Johnson is reticent and will talk to no one. He, however, flatly denies the charge.

It was originally intended to use steam locomotives, as it is proposed to use the road for local passenger traffic as well as through travel. Plans were considered to light and ventilate the tunnel by electricity.

He then told me that he had been specially constructed for this work, which we furnish to our agents."

Here the old man got up and brought me a long-handed steel instrument of the most delicate workmanship, and I accompanied him and his boy to see how it worked. We had not gone a hundred feet through the brush, and before we heard the rattle of a snake, I saw his boy, turning aside into the brush, found his victim coiled, with his head up, and in half a minute he had his forked stick over the neck of the animal,

**50 OF THOSE MC**

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis.			
	Friday.	Thursday.	Year Ago.
Wheat.....	3,326,164	3,267,580	4,911,000
Corn.....	2,422,801	2,456,247	774,325
Oats.....	351,847	338,212	24,364
Rye.....	844	844	812
Barley.....	18,062	18,062	26,622
No. 2 wheat.....	2,964,167	2,939,070	3,512,044
No. 2 corn.....	1,368,197	1,877,594	607,171
No. 3 oats.....	338,220	148,070	8,778
No. 2 rye.....	844	844	812

**MORRIS CHAIRS**

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**  
Is the Only  
**True Blood Purifier**  
By purifying the blood, it gives nerve  
mental, digestive and bodily strength.

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MEAT CONTRACTS.

Information Tipped to the Combine in Advance.

SOME METHODS EMPLOYED.

Incidents in the Supplies Office Showing How Strong a Pull the Contractors' Ring Has.

Day by day additional evidence of gross irregularities in connection with the contracts for furnishing meats and supplies to the city institutions are being brought to light. The Board of Charity Commissioners, particularly Mr. E. C. Grenier, who has always been active in the exposure and correction of irregularities wherever found, is giving the matter considerable attention, and serious trouble for some of the interested parties is impending.

The latest development casts a shadow over the threshold of the office of the Commissioner of Supplies, which it will require a great deal of the best of the city's efforts to clear up. The last contracts were let every man, woman and child who applied at the supplies office, and the Commissioner of Supplies was compelled to state that the names of the contractors were not in a position to know just who each and every contractor was, and that if the contractor refused to tell for whom the blanks were wanted no blanks were furnished.

By means of this plan the Supply Commissioner, or one of more of his attaches, was able to give the name of every one who called for blanks, and had such been a desirable, the Commissioner would have been able to give the names of the contractors to the public. A large number of the contractors, however, were not given the names of the contractors, and the Commissioner of Supplies was not able to give the names of the contractors to the public.

But the most singular feature of these transactions remains to be told. The name of one applicant desiring blanks was demanded, just before the last meat contract was let, and the name of the contractor was not given. The Commissioner of Supplies was not able to give the name of the contractor to the public.

The question now being asked is, why such manifest irregularities in the letting of the meat contracts? The answer is, that the contractors' ring was placed wholly at the mercy of this attitude of the Commissioner of Supplies. The Commissioner of Supplies was not able to give the names of the contractors to the public.

Not better authority, however, than the ring have a "statement" in that office is there than Mr. Thomas W. Connors, ex-assistant book-keeper for the Commission of Supplies. He said that certain of the contractors had been given the names of the contractors to the public.

Mr. Connors was asked how the ringsters happen to have a "statement" in that office. He said that the contractors had been given the names of the contractors to the public.

He stated that James Quinn generally secured the contract for furnishing the jail, workhouse, House of Refuge, Quarantine Hospital and City Hospital, and Maurice Froendville the insane asylum, Female Hospital and Poorhouse. One way in which the city could be heavily defrauded, he said, would be for the ring to buy over the stewards of the various institutions and share the take-off with them.

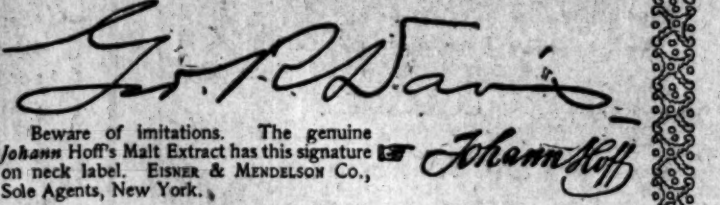
Two very significant remarks were made on March 12, the day the last contract was let. The first was made by an attaché of the Supply Commissioner's office, who said that the contractors had been given the names of the contractors to the public.

That the ring has the power to fulfill the threat seems to be generally conceded. The parties on the inside are working hand and glove with each other, and, being of the

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Director-General of the World's Columbian Exposition, Chicago

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inside, could force the contractor whom they sought to force out of the contract, which, if his figures happened to be low, would make him lose money on every pound of meat delivered.

SPECTACLES FOR THE POOR.

Many Pairs Given by Kind-Hearted Persons. The statement in the Post-Dispatch that many aged, weak-eyed inmates of the Poorhouse are becoming blind because they have not spectacles to relieve their worn eyes, has excited universal sympathy.

Kind-hearted citizens who have laid aside many pairs of spectacles and eye-glasses, accepting the honor thrust upon him by the merchants of Columbus he does so in a characteristic way, and only pledges them to give Friday, if election day is held, the same kind were sent to Health Commissioner Homan. Dr. Homan will test the eyes of his aged charges and give them suitable aids to their vision.

HONORS TO COTTON ALLEN.

A Former St. Louisian Nominated for Mayor of Columbus. The many St. Louis friends of Mr. Cotton H. Allen were pleased to hear of his nomination to the Mayoralty by the Democrats of Columbus, O. Mr. Allen is well known and remembered in business circles here, having been Vice-President of the F. Hayden Saddlery Hardware Co. for twenty-five years.

On the death of Mr. Hayden he removed to Columbus, where he was recognized as one of the leading business men. He never took part in St. Louis politics, and in accepting the honor thrust upon him by the merchants of Columbus he does so in a characteristic way, and only pledges them to give Friday, if election day is held, the same kind were sent to Health Commissioner Homan.

STABBED SIX TIMES.

William Ray Caught Arthur Dyer in Mrs. Ray's Company. William Ray, colored, stabbed and probably fatally injured Arthur Dyer, a white man, in front of 210 Randolph street. Ray was arrested and Dyer is at the City Hospital.

Ray, who lives at the above number, was home yesterday afternoon and found Dyer in company with Mrs. Ray. He attacked Dyer with a knife, and when Dyer fled, he followed him, and stabbed him six times with a knife. The abdominal cavity was cut open, and Dyer was taken to the City Hospital.

Sabbath Association Meeting.

The Sabbath Association met yesterday afternoon and received communications from a number of churches interested in having the association to meet in enforcing the law. The cases against the men for whom warrants have already been issued, were docketed for next week. The proposed compromise offered by the saloon men to close in the afternoon was not discussed.

Homeopathic Degrees.

At the graduating exercises of the Homeopathic Medical College of Missouri degrees were conferred on Mary Elliott, Beall, George Brickbauer, Peter Brickbauer, T. L. Carriere, Emilie J. Chalfont, W. C. Dieterich, G. A. Mellies, C. E. Ross, E. R. Schoen, E. H. Timmer.

Dyspepsia, Nervous Indigestion or Weak Stomach.

are permanently cured by Louton's Nervinax, purely vegetable, sold at Alexander's.

Donations of Spectacles.

Sixteen pairs of spectacles and six pairs of eye-glasses for the use of people of weak eyes, which are cared for at the Poorhouse have been left at the Post-Dispatch office by charitable people. Dr. Homan has agreed to receive these donations at his office at the City Hall.

Latest Train to Kansas City.

The Burlington Route, runs a solid through vestibuled train to Kansas City, St. Joseph, Leavenworth, Atchison, Lincoln and Denver every evening at 8:45. This is the latest train leaving for above points. City Office, 215 North Broadway.

McMast's Subway Bill.

President McMast of the Board of Public Improvements said he was not in favor of the bill proposed by the Senate without difficulty if one of the St. Louis Senators should determine to get it advanced on to calendar. He believes the prejudice against subway legislation, apparent at the beginning of the session of the Assembly, has been dissipated.

THE FINEST GOODS OF FRIEDMAN BROS. AND SCHAFER'S \$80,000 WASHINGTON AVENUE FIRE STOCK NOW ON SALE.

Men's \$2.50 and \$3.00 Bala. and Congress, \$1.00 and \$1.25; Men's \$4 and \$5 Bala. and Congress, \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50; Ladies' and Misses' \$1.50 and \$2.00 Bala. and Congress, \$1.00 and \$1.25; Children's \$1.00 and \$1.25; Boys' \$1.50 and \$2.00 Bala. and Congress, \$1.00 and \$1.25; Men's \$3 and \$4 Bala. and Congress, \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50; Ladies' and Misses' \$1.50 and \$2.00 Bala. and Congress, \$1.00 and \$1.25; Children's \$1.00 and \$1.25; Boys' \$1.50 and \$2.00 Bala. and Congress, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

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ENTIRE HALF BLOCK.

N. W. Corner Franklin Avenue and Seventh Street.

We Close Sundays; also, Evenings at 6:30, Saturdays at 10:30.

THE TRAVELER'S GUIDE.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF THROUGH TRAINS. For schedules of Suburban Trains see regular Railroad Time Cards.

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TO ALL POINTS.  
210 N. 4th St. Branch, 1807 Market St.

**CITY NEWS.**  
Penny Laundry—Collars and cuffs equal to new, 1 cent, 60 Pine street. Farish-Becht shirt factory.

Private matters skillfully treated and medicines furnished. Dr. Dinwiddie, 212 Pine. Thine's Detective Service, Odd Fellows' Bldg., St. Louis. Offices New York, Chicago, Denver, Kansas City, St. Paul, Portland.

**NEEDED READY CASH.**  
Heckel Hardware Co. Transferred Its Stock to Avoid Trouble.

The transfer of the stock of the Heckel Hardware Co., Twelfth and Locust streets, to Jesse T. Baker was due to the urgent demand of the St. Louis National Bank for a settlement of a \$30,000 debt. When one of the five directors refused to endorse the company's paper the bank declined to renew the loan, and threatened to attach. Other attachments would follow. It was then that the president, Geo. F. Heckel, assured all creditors that the firm was solvent and was only suffering from a temporary want of ready money. The stock was then transferred to Mr. Baker as security for the money he advanced to pay the bank. He will conduct the business until the company is ready to pay him. He will then transfer back the stock to the original holders. The company's capital is \$50,000.

**LIBERTY OR DEATH.**  
Work-house Prisoners Risk Their Lives to Escape.

Louis Slater and Joseph Parte, Work-house prisoners, broke away from a chain-gang at Broadway and Meramec street, Thursday, and Guard Leopold Matt fired two shots at them. One load struck Slater in the right hand, but did not stop him. Supt. Lohrum, his son and Ben Wiet-huicher, attracted by the reports, which were heard in the work-house, took up the chase. They found the fugitives hiding in the car shed of the Southern Electric Railway, Broadway and Osceola streets. They were put in the work-house calaboose.

**SATURDAY HALF HOLIDAY.**  
Petition Being Circulated Among the Large Business Houses.

The clerks in the large dry goods and furnishing goods houses on Washington avenue are much elated over the beginning of the Saturday early closing movement. A petition to this effect was circulated and readily signed as follows:  
"We, the undersigned dry goods and furnishing goods houses of St. Louis, have decided to close our establishments from April 13 to Aug. 3, on Saturdays at 1 o'clock, for the benefit of our employees."  
Samuel C. Davis & Co., Ely-Walker Dry Goods Co., Rice, Stutz & Co., Janis, Phillips & Co., Glaser Bros., A. Frankenthal & Bro., Hargadine-McClintock D. G. Co., H. T. Simon, Gregory & Co., Wear & Boegner D. G. Co.

**VISITORS IN THE CITY.**

S. B. Miles, a wealthy resident of Falls City, Neb., is located at the St. James.  
J. M. Furryear, a business man of Eldorado, Ark., is registered at Hurst's.  
George H. Bradford, a Carthage (Mo.) merchant, is at Hurst's.  
Gen. Pleasant Porter of Muscogee, I. T., is a guest of the Laclede.  
Judge M. E. Binton of Neosho, Mo., is at the Laclede.  
F. P. Graves of the Doe Run (Mo.) Mining Co. is quartered at the Laclede.  
George F. Lee, a prominent citizen of New York, is at the Laclede.  
W. J. Bastian of Ottumwa, Ia., a well-known business man, is a guest of the Laclede.  
J. C. Richardson, a merchant of Wellington, Kan., is registered at the Laclede.  
W. Nash and wife of Liverpool, England, are guests of the St. Nicholas.  
Mr. Nash is connected with the linen industry.  
Miss Morna Manxman registered at the Isle of Man, is at the St. Nicholas.  
Mr. W. S. McCrea, a prominent dry goods man of Chicago, is at the St. Nicholas with his wife.  
S. A. McNeal, a New York banker and broker of prominence, is at the St. Nicholas.  
E. D. Chamberlain, a Kansas City merchant, is registered at the St. Nicholas.  
Andrew J. Cooper, the Chicago millionaire, who has large property interests in Chicago, New York and St. Louis, is at the Planters.  
Frank Butterworth, the Chicago capitalist, is stopping at the Planters.  
W. S. Baillie of Brazil is registered at the Southern.  
Clinton Morrison of Minneapolis, a wealthy gentleman, is at the Southern en route home from Florida.  
Mr. and Mrs. George C. Raul and Miss Rand of New York are at the Southern.  
Mr. Rand is of the firm of Hard Rand, one of the heaviest coffee firms in the world.  
H. H. Williams, a prominent citizen of Williams, Ark., is quartered at the St. James.

**Clay Worsted and Black Cheviot Suits Given Away at the Globe.**  
We have 1,500 Clay worsted and black cheviot sack and cutaway suits which we will sell at \$1.50 and \$2.00 as long as they last. Globe, n. w. cor. Franklin avenue and Seventh street.

**Damage Suits Dismissed.**  
In the United States Circuit Court this morning Lynne S. Metcalfe, Jr., dismissed the suits of Mary Gravatte and George Cravatte against the Suburban and Wabash railway companies. The Cravattes are husband and wife. Mrs. Cravatte was in a Suburban car on Oct. 4 last, when a Wabash freight train crashed into it, and she and several others were injured. She sued for \$10,000 damages for injuries received on that occasion and her husband sued for \$2,000 for the loss of her society and services and for medical attendance, etc.

Don't leave home for your health, but take Belcher Water Baths.

**CONDEMNED HORSES SOLD.**  
The Commissioner of Supplies sold eleven condemned horses for \$350.75. There were seventy-eight bidders. The last batch of ten condemned horses sold for \$65.

**OUTIGURA WORKS WONDERS**

In curing scurvy, indigestion, facilitating business of the body and blood when all else fails.

**THE MOST WONDERFUL EXHIBIT OF**

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To Be Seen On Our IMMENSE CLOTHING FLOOR, (LARGEST IN THE WORLD.)

An exposition of elegance, surpassing in extent, variety, artistic excellence and low prices any that was ever held under one roof in America before, made by the most skillful of tailors of America, from the best and choicest products of home and foreign mills—finest and trimmed with that refined taste and elegance that enables you to at once distinguish the creations of an artist from the work of an artisan.

**Spring Suits and Spring Overcoats**  
\$7.50, \$10, \$12.50  
\$15, \$18,  
\$20 and \$25.

Variety of style, make, grade, size that leaves absolutely nothing to be desired. We've shaved down profits so close to cost that we'll have to depend on a vast volume of sales to make both ends meet.

**We Have Still Some 600 Heavy Weight Suits and Overcoats**

**\$11.85**

Left. We are more determined than ever to get rid of them—not to carry them over until another season. They are as full of value as an egg is full of meat at our previous prices of \$20, \$25. You can have your free pick of any of 'em for.....

**TO IMPROVE FIFTY ACRES.**

Another Suburban Tract to Be Divided Into Lots.

**GIBSON HEIGHTS' STREETS.**

These Two Tracts to Be Beautified With Telford Streets, Granitoid Sidewalks, Grass and Shade Trees.

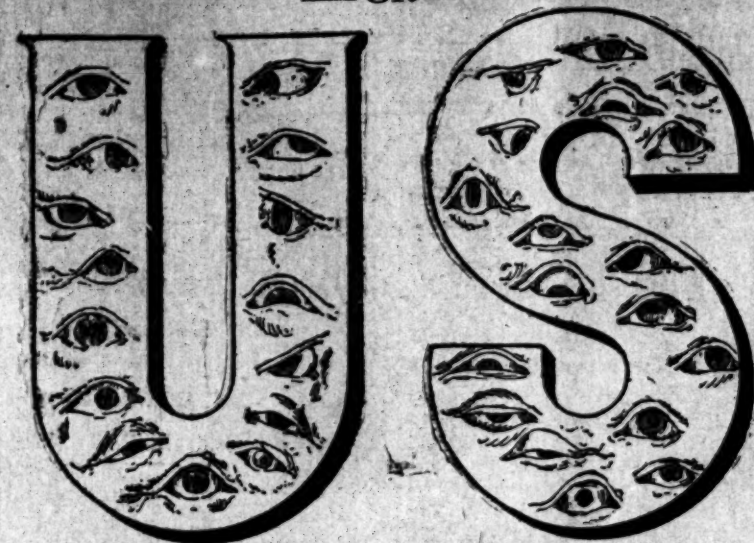
Fifty acres of land lying west and north of Gibson Heights, at present rough and unimproved, are to be graded, paved, etc., and put on the market this summer. Julius Pittman has the deal in hand and has contracted to remove 250,000 cubic feet of earth. The whole will cost over \$100,000.

This land is the property of Charles P. Chouteau and Mrs. Julius Maffitt, who came into possession of it many years ago, when that part of the city was a wilderness. The general increase in valuation of suburban property during the past few years, especially the unusual bright prospects of the present time, prompted the owners to make the deal.

Just what will be the name of this new subdivision has not yet been decided upon by the owners. From plans mapped out it promises to equal, if not surpass, any place of its kind located in this vicinity.

The sidewalks will be constructed of granitoid; on the side the banks will be made to slope slightly and will be sodded; shade trees will be planted on either side of the street, giving the whole a genuine "suburban" appearance. The streets will be constructed of Telford. There will be one main street which will measure 100 feet in width. Redmond Cleary, the chief stockholder in the Gibson Heights company, stated Thursday that it had been decided to spend about \$50,000 on that property in improvements.

**ALL EYES ON**



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**CONSTANTLY!—EVERLASTINGLY!**  
Giving the Best Possible Money's Worth IS WHAT KEEPS OUR GREAT STORE IN THE LEAD!  
Bargains bloom magnificently forth, flowering daily at 7:30 a. m. and continuing until closing hour—Saturdays at 10 o'clock p. m., other evenings at 8:30.

**GREAT BARGAINS IN FURNISHING GOODS**

New Spring Neckwear, excellent value at 50c for 25c and 30c  
Regular made Fancy Half Hose, 15c  
Medium Weight Underwear, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1  
Laundried Negligé Shirts, collars and cuffs attached, excellent value at 75c  
Mocha Gloves, the proper thing for spring wear, \$1.50 quality, 75c  
Men's White Merino Shirts, 50c grade, 25c  
Men's Silk Garters, 50c kind, for 25c  
Adler's \$1.50 Street Gloves for 98c  
Men's Colored Handkerchiefs 9c  
50c Chester Rubber Band Suspenders 32c  
"Japonette" Handkerchiefs, look like three for 50c  
Men's Laundried Fervent Shirts, with collars and cuffs, grand value at 75c, at 50c

**ALL THE NEW AND NOBBY STYLES OF SPRING HATS READY.**

**Camden's**  
BROADWAY & MORGAN ST.  
Broadway and Morgan.  
Money Back if You Want It!

blame for the former adverse report the bill got.

O'Brien failed to read the section providing that the asphalt bills should be void unless property owners affected should within twenty days deposit with the City Treasurer the estimated cost of cost over 25 per cent of assessed valuation. Their agreement to pay this excess was in the hands of the Board of Improvements when the adverse report was made.

In view of the fact that these asphalt ordinances were the first that carried specifications admitting substantial competition with the Barber Asphalt Co., the action of the committee on a failure to pretend was regarded at the City Hall with general suspicion. Two brick ordinances providing for the paving of Sarah street, between Laclede and West Bell place were also adversely reported.

**OPPOSITION GROWING.**

Residents of Pine and Sarah Streets to Fight the New Road.

The opposition of residents along Pine and Sarah streets to the building of the Pine street, Kirkwood and Northwestern Railway out Pine street, with a branch north on Sarah street, is growing. It is asserted that the building of such a road will depreciate the value of property along the streets traversed, which are given up almost entirely to residence purposes. The property owners and residents on Pine and Sarah streets say the road is only intended to boom the suburban holdings of a few speculators and propose to make a vigorous fight against the passage of the ordinance permitting the building of the line.

A notice, calling a meeting at the Mercantile Club has been mailed to all property holders and residents on these streets. It is to be held on Friday afternoon, March 23, at 4 o'clock, and is signed by W. H. Thompson, Sam'l Cupples, W. Nichols, D. M. Houser, George A. Baker, Clinton Rowell, Jas. G. Butler, Jonathan Rice and others.

**Agents' Reports.**  
Love & Son report the sale of 35x147 feet, situated on the south side of West Bell place, 30 feet wide, of Newland avenue, from Henry Goodman to Mrs. Clara Richardson, for \$50 a foot. Mrs. Richardson will erect a dwelling on the site.

Wm. H. Rutledge sold 5x115 feet of ground on the west side of Fern street, between Mrs. Flora Haddock of Cincinnati to Frank W. and Harry A. Hakin for \$10 a foot.

**Building Contracts.**  
At the Builders' Exchange contracts have been reported awarded as follows:  
To J. P. Miller, a two-story brick church and school, 11x11x11x11, between Eighth and Twelfth streets, at cost \$150,000.  
To J. P. Miller, a two-story brick dwelling, at 11x11x11x11, on 11th street, at cost \$5,000.  
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**BUSY MEN AND WOMEN**  
Who Work Hard All Week, Find SATURDAY THEIR DAY FORSHOPPING.

**TO-MORROW**

**WE SHALL OFFER,**  
To Close Out Our Stock of Medium and Heavy Weight

**KNEE PANTS:**  
Choice of 500 pairs, the prices of which have hitherto been \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75, sizes 3 to 16 years, for..... **90c**  
We Shall Also Offer

\$2.00 and \$2.50 Jersey, Junior and Reffer Suits, sizes 3 to 8 years..... **\$1.25**  
\$3.50 and \$4.00 Strictly Pure Wool Junior, Reffer and Jersey Suits, fast colors, handsomely trimmed..... **\$2.18**

**CHOICE 30 STYLES KNEE PANT SUITS,** strictly pure wool, medium and dark colors, nobby patterns, sizes 4 to 14; worth \$4..... **\$2.98**

**REEFER COMBINATION SUITS,** trimmed with braid, sizes 3 to 8, and Plain Double Breasted Suits, sizes 6 to 14 years; each suit has extra pants and cap to match; price complete outfit..... **\$2.98**

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We have just opened 30 odd styles of Fauntleroy Blouses, in white and colored; also with white bodies, and colored collars, cuffs and scarfs, handsomely trimmed in embroidery and insertion; usually sold for \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75; choice of the entire lot..... **\$1.00**

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**Friday Mar 22 1895**



March 22, 1895: Roma Bonheur, artist, born.  
March 22, 1895: Goethe died.  
March 22, 1895: Oxford boat crew makes fastest time on record.

To-day the anti bull fight league petitions President Diaz, of Mexico, to put an end to these sanguinary contests in that republic, and memorials to the same effect are presented to the Cortes in Spain and to the Captain General of Cuba. Perhaps the historic bull fight is on the eve of disappearance.

We announce numerous

**ARRIVALS**  
In Gentlemen's Spring

**HATS**

and present the choicest and best selected stock of fashionable head-wear in St. Louis. All the newest spring shapes and colors, both English and American style.

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Manufactured by Selz, Schwarz & Co., Chicago. Largest Shoemakers in the United States.  
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Men's Best Patent Leather Bluchers, hand-sewed..... Reduced from \$7 and \$8 to \$5.00  
Men's Best Patent Leather Bluchers, hand-sewed..... Reduced from \$6.00 to \$4.00  
Men's French Calf Bluchers, hand-sewed..... Reduced from \$7.00 to \$5.00  
Men's American Calf, hand-welt..... Reduced from \$5.00 to \$4.00  
Men's American Calf, Goodyear-welt..... Reduced from \$4.00 to \$3.00  
Men's American Calf, Goodyear-welt..... Reduced from \$3.50 to \$2.50

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For sale by all first-class dealers. Manufactured by the F. R. Rice Mercantile Cigar Co., factory No. 24, St. Louis, Mo.

and Geyer, stores and flats, \$10,000; B. Koesters, contractor.  
Mrs. Backer, Kokuk, between Louisiana and Arkansas, dwelling, \$1,000; L. Groeters, contractor.  
Joseph Rinder, Easton, between Marcus and Walton, dwelling, \$2,000.  
F. C. Bonack, Washington, between Lake and Union, two dwellings, \$3,000 each.  
T. L. Ely, Market, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, \$10,000; T. J. Kelly, contractor.

**INJUNCTION AGAINST STRIKERS.**  
The St. Louis Shovel Company Dismisses the Case.

The difference between the St. Louis Shovel Co. and its striking shovel-makers have been settled and the company this morning dismissed its suit against the men. Last July a dispute arose concerning wages; the company claimed that there was a strike and the men that there was a lock-out. The latter made the usual demonstration and the company enjoined them from "picketing" the works and endeavoring to persuade new men from taking their places.

**Albert G. Evans' Estate.**  
The inventory of the estate of Albert G. Evans, the "cattle king," was filed to-day. The real estate embracing lots in Comp. Hill addition, at Lafayette avenue and Hedietta street, and 1,238 acres in Gonzales County, Tex., and 1,500 acres in Harb and Comanche Counties, Kan. The personalty embraces notes and interest, \$25,000; accounts, \$1,000; stocks, \$1,500; cash, \$1,115; household furniture, \$5,214; total, \$28,814. There is also a five-sixth interest in 1,528 head of cattle in Fort and Dawson Counties, Texas. The bulk of the stock is \$4,000 in the Hutton-Hunter Commission.

**Suit for Services.**  
Justice Somers has on his docket the suit of a housewife for services amounting to \$372, less a credit of \$78. The title of the case is Kate Hester vs. Charles Somers. The housewife for services as a housewife from May 5, 1894, to Dec. 6, 1894, thirty-one months at \$12 per month. The defendant is a theatrical shoemaker at No. 315 Elm street. He is a widower with three grown sons.

**Building Permits.**  
J. W. Stewart R. E. Co., Forest Park boulevard, between Sarah and Vandeventer streets, \$10,000.  
A. Barutis, Broadway, between Lafayette

**SMITH & STOUTON.**